# FRANCE AS **MEDIATOR**

That Country Reported to Have Volunteered.

# FOR ENDING HOSTILITIES

Russia Has Given No Reply-Another Peace Conference Held in Washington Last Night-Peace Seems Far Off.

Berlin, June 6 .- The French government has instructed the French ambassaat St. Petersburg to inform the Russian government that France is willing to act as mediator between Russia and Japan, to bring about a cessation of hostilities.

Russia has given no reply.

## ANOTHER PEACE CONFERENCE. President and Japanese Minister Talked Last Night.

Washington, June 6.—Peace in the r East was the subject of another enference at the White House last night between the president and Mr. Takahira, the Japanese minister. It was the third conference of the day which the president has had on the subject, M. Jusserand, the French ambassador, and Mr. O'Beirne, the British charge d'affaires, having been callers at the White House in the morning.

M. Takahira called at the White House shortly after 9 o'clock.

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Thus far Mr. Takahira has not been able to tell the president except in the most general and unofficial way what Japan is likely to demand of Russia when the latter can be brought to discuss peace. Even the minister himself has no idea what Japan's indemnity may amount to. The president was phable to give Mr. Takahira any intimation of how Russia has viewed the tion of how Russia has viewed the nihilation of her fleet, and until Count asini's report of his visit to the White issing a report of his visit to the white ouse has been replied to from St. Persburg, no further progress toward ace can be made in that direction. It is realized by the Washington government that the mikado has a formidthen that the mikado has a formid-e war party in Japan to cope with I this is one of the reasons why it difficult for Tokio to give Washington Inite information whether terms will in the light of Admiral Togo's latest

# PEACE DOUBTED

# Believed in London That Russia Will Cease War.

adon, June 6 .- Accounts of Presi-Roosevelt's interview with Mr. Tara, the Japanese minister at Washalleged to have been along the line efforts to bring mediation, are reing much attention here, but in dip-atic circles it is not believed that a will continue the war.

At the Russian embassy it is de-lared that the war will be continued and at the Japanese embassy it is said hile the foreign office states that it see not know of any movement towards

# WILL BE INTERNED.

# Washington Informs Japan Concerning Russian Ships at Manila.

the department of state what action the United States government intends to take respecting the Russian war vessels now in Manila bay. Acting Secretary Loomis yesterday afternoon responded that these vessels would be interned provided they did not leave the Williamstown lodge for the manner in

# TO TAKE VLADIOSTOK.

# ward Movement.

# NO ORDERS AS YET.

## Afmiral Enquist Is Awaiting Instructions From His Government.

Washington, June 6.—Secretary Tatt Center cemetery. Mr. Culver died on Staturday with consumption after a long illness. He was for many years aged 78, a Civil war veteran, died at mailay seterday, sayingth, dated at Manila yesterday, sayingth, dated the services. Burial was made in Home Last Night.

Samuel S. Page of Clarendon Died at Home Last Night.

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FIVE RUSSIAN CRUISERS.

## Were Sighted Off Port of Swatow June 4. Says Canton Report.

Canton, China, June 6.—Advices from Swatow say that four Russian auxiliary cruisers and one large cruiser were sight-ed near that port June 4.

# IN NO DANGER.

# Government Patrol Boat Is Ashore Off Jones' Inlet.

Freeport, L. I., June 6.—The identity of the vessel which ran ashore last night on Jones' Inlet and which was supposed to be a large Atlantic liner, has been established. The vessel is the United States of United States government patrol boat Caucus. She is in no danger, and will probably be pulled off today.

# STARTLING RUMORS NOT CONFIRMED

# Wall Street Gossips Agog, Some Saying That Czar Has Been Assassinated, Others That William Has Been Killed.

New York, June 6.—There were ru-mors in Wall street this morning that a sensational foreign event had occurred, but the gossips could not say defi-nitely what it was. Some had it that the czar had been assassinated and others that Kaiser William had been killed. Brokers' wires spread the news to other cities, and many messages of

Berlin, June 6 .- Announcement made that the Kaiser has raised Chan-cellor Von Buelow to the position of prince, in recognition of his excellent services in behalf of Germany.

# DELCASSE RESIGNED.

Paris, June 6.—It is officially announced that M. Delcasse, the French minister of foreign affairs, has resigned.

Premier Rouvier has assumed charge of affairs of the foreign office temporarile.

# CONVENTION IN RUTLAND.

## Marble Workers Hold Their Annual Meeting There This Week.

the International Association of Marble body to Hartford. Workers of the United States and Canada opened in the Woodmen's hall in this city yesterday afternoon. The day's business consisted of the presenta, the Japanese minister at the appointing of credentials and the appointing of committees on rules, press and credentials. Rutland was chosen as the place for the convention by request of President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor. It is claimy will result in securing peace. The ed that the marble workers here work lef is firm in all quarters that Ruslonger hours and for less wages than in any other part of the country. The matter will be investigated and a report made to President Compers.

# WELL ENTERTAINED.

## Party of New England Order of Protection Went to Williamstown.

One of the most pleasant trips made this year by the members of the New England Order of Protection was that to the Williamstown lodge last night, participated in by fourteen members of Washington, June 6.—The Japanese minister here has formally inquired of the department of state what action Speeches were in order by District Dep-Speeches were in order by District Dep-

which they entertained the party. This exchange has taken place in order to formally establish the responsibility of the United States for the detention of the vessels in Manila harbor until the end of bostilities.

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The trip home was one long to be remembered. Darkness had no fears for the party, with an expert coachman and the pilot at the electric light station, for which fact thanks are given. tion, for which fact thanks are given.

# HIT ON THE HEAD.

# Mangled by Another.

Tacoms, Wash., June 6.—Purser P.
C. Marrington of the steamer Lyra, just arrived here, says that while he was at Moji on May 10, eighteen transports were seen sailing for Korea. It was understood that the men were to march overland and join the Japanese is northern Manchuria.

The current rumor, which was well sathenticated, was that the Japanese will soon begin a forward movement, having in contemplation the capture of Vadivostok.

Mangled by Another.

Burlingten, June 6.—Ernest Rogers, an enthusiastic Salvation Army man, was hit on the head this morning by Michael Ryan with a heavy hammer and was badly injured. An altercation arose between the men at Goodrich's milk farm north of the city, where both are employed. Blows followed. Evan was arrested, charged with assault with intent to kill.

Funeral of Edward Culver.

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Northfield, June 6.—The funeral of Edward H. Culver took place yesterday afternoon at his late home, the Rev. E. W. Sharp officiating. The local order of Odd Fellows attended in a body and conducted the services. Burial was made in

# LASHAWAY

# WAS KILLED IS DEEDED To the sill cock and run to his faucet. He did not remember giving permission to connect the two systems and didn't think he did, and was quite positive he did not, though he would not swear he did not give permission. Alderman McKenzie asked Dr. Worthen if he had ever paid for any of the water or received a bill for the water Splendid Gain Shown by Cornection.

# Last Night.

# Aldrich Public Library.

and Got Intoxicated-Quarrelled on Car and Lurched Off Near

Edward Lashaway of Hartford died at the Heaton hospital in Montpelier last night at eleven o'clock, having received fatal injuries last evening by falling from the Central Vermont train falling from the Central Vermont train near Richmond, while returning from a picnic at Mississquoi Park, Highgate Springs. There are many different stories as to how the man received his injuries, some saying that he was pushinjuries, some saying that he was pushed from the train by Conductor Michael Powers and others declaring that it was his own fault. His skull was fractured.

Lashaway was in an intoxicated con-dition when he boarded the train at more has ben received from London or the continent.

If develops that the rumor of the carr's assassination was current on the bourse in Berlin this morning. The rumor there had it that Mendelssolm, a banker of the Russian government had received a private telegram to that effect.

NOW A PRINCE.

Won Buelow's Services to Germany Recognized by the Kaiser.

Berlin, June 6.—Announced the conductor Powers and the conductor pushed him off. inquiry were sent here.

No confirmation of the startling rumors has ben received from London or quarrelsome disposition, being engaged

Conductor Powers says that the man Conductor Powers says that the man lurched from the platform as he was going into the smoker, while the conductor was following. The train was going at full speed at the time of the accident, and it seems unlikely that any attempt was being made to eject the man from the train. The affair trail place only a short distance west Premier Rouvier Takes Charge of French
Foreign Affairs Office.

took place only a short distance west
of Richmond. The train was stopped
at once and the man taken on board.

Dr. Dunn of Warren who was on the

Rutland, June 6.-With 98 delegates of Hartford. Fred and Frank arrived present the fourth annual convention of in Montpelier this morning to take the

# WAS MURDERED

## Mystery About Missing Canaan, N. H. Boy May Be Cleared Up Through Arrest Made Last Night.

Canaan, N. H., June 6 .- Frank Tobine, who was arrested last night charged with assaulting Ernest Braley of Grat-ton, has according to the police, made a statement that Braley's child, Elwyn, who disappeared April 27, was killed at the Braley home. He implicates persons residing on the Braley farm and names the one who struck the child. The authorities are investigating.

# MAY CLEAR MYSTERY.

## Arrest of Canaan, N. H., Man, Where Braley Child Disappeared.

Cannan, N. H., June 6 .- Local interest in the disappearance of the Braley child experienced another revival by the ar-rest yesterday of Frank Tobine, lessee of the Braley farm, and employer of the

father of the missing baby.

The charge on which Tobine is being held is one of assault and battery, brought by Ernest Braley, and tends to establish a connection to his supposed part in the disappearance mystery, by his personal encounter with his employ-

er yesterday morning, Braleys' assertion is to the effect that The Japanese Will Scon Make a For- One Burlington Man Said to Have Been he terminated a seven months' period of labor for Tobine yesterday and that his notice was given two weeks ago. Since then his place has been filled by a new farm hand. He was in the kitchen making preparations to leave when Tobine entered and ordered him to his work, Braley refused and his explanation that his term was up angered the employer, who gave him the choice of beginning work within ten minutes or leaving the house at once. There was some altercation about many matters and Tobine losing control of his temper, struck at Braley. The blow failed to land, and sprining upon the younger man, he bore him to the floor, exclaim ing, "d-kid is," - you, I'll put you where the

# VETERAN MUSTERED OUT.

# LIBRARY LOT

Attended Picnic at Highgate Springs City Council Will Ask for a Fifteen

The doctor thought he had.

"Do your customers know they are receiving city water for spring water?" asked Mr. McKenzie.

Dr. Worthen said he had told Mr. Dodge. He only supplies his block, his old house and present residence. His water is still frozen up.

Alderman McKenzie moved the water superintendent be instructed to cut off the city water supply from Dr. Worthen's system, and if again asked for, the doctor be charged for the full amount of water required.

Dr. Worthen said he was willing to pay for supplying the full system, and he deed of the library lot to the Aldrich Library, were among the most

# The Library Deed.

Aldrich Public Library was read and

both to have the right to erect monu-ments and statues on the land.

The Aldrich library shall not sell or lease or sublease any portion of the premises without the consent by deed of the city. The Aldrich Library shall within four years erect a building thereon. If destroyed the building shall be
repaired or newly erected within a reasonable time. The Aldrich Library shall
keep said building open at suitable
times to the extent of its funds for
use as a free public library.

Dr. Dunn of Warren who was on the train, took charge of the injured man, antil the train reached Waterbury, were Dr. D. D. Grout relieved him. At Montpelier Junction an ambulance was waiting, and Lashaway was taken to Heaton hospital. Only an examination was made. An operation was deemed to be out of the question.

Lashaway was 25 years of age, a year or two ago, when Mr. Currier other matter was the grading of the lower side of Tremont street where it passes Mr. Hersey's house, which Mr. Hersey stated the city had agreed to grade. The matter was referred to the street committee to investigate and re-

# Dr. Worthen and City Water.

Dr. H. O. Worthen was present and expressed his willingness to answer any questions asked him in regard to his use of city water in his spring water system. Supt. of Streets Bruce, who was present, repeated to the council in the presence of Dr. Worthen, Water Supt. Allen, and ex-Supt. Campbell the statement he made to the board last Thursday evening, the substance of which has already been printed in the Times.

Dr. Worthen asked several questions of Mr. Bruce relative to the break in his water mains and the repairing of the same, in which it was shown the doctor had made no effort to cover up the fact that he was using city water, then he stated that Mr. Campbell, then water superintendent, had told him, in the presence of Arthur Cave, he could connect with the city system while his

was frozen up. The report of Water Superintendent Allen on the case was read as follows: "In regard to the matter of Dr. Worthen being connected with city water, I have investigated the matter with the following results:
"Dr. Worthen claims that after lay-

ing his pipes last fall there was trouble in getting his water started, so he asked permission of Mr. Campbell to hitch on city water to blow the air out his Mr. Campbell gave his permispipe. sion and told Mr. Russell that he might make the connection. This is agreed to by Dr. Worthen, Mr. Russell and Mr.

"In March Dr. Worthen claims that his water froze up. He came up to see Mr. Campbell and met him on the street in front of D. M. Miles' stores. He (Dr. Worthen) told Mr. Campbell that his water had stopped and he wanted to turn on the city water and when he was through using it he would make the matter right. He claims that Mr. Campbell told him he could go ahead. This Mr. Campbell does not remember, but it was in March when the whole system was frozen up and it is not in the least unlikely that Mr. Campbell should forget all about it. Mr. Russell says that Dr. Worthen came back to his shop and told him that he had permission from Mr. Campbell to turn on the city water and he (Mr. Russell)

Dr. Worthen permission to blow out his spring water pipes by hitching hose to the sill cock and run to his fauest.

Mr. Worthen: "No sir! I have only used it since March."

Alderman McKenzie asked if the doctor was satisfied he had enough water of his own to supply his spring water

The doctor thought he had.

# Vital Statistics.

The deed of the library lot to the library was read and ordered paid.

A large number of city warrants were read and ordered paid.

The monthly report of the chief of police showed 29 arrests in May, of which 14 were for intoxication, and

Overseer of Poor O. D. Shurtleff reported he had paid out \$2,671.34 to June 1st.

Building Inspector Martin Riley reported 34 permits granted in May.

The street committee reported that that portion of River street on which certain abutters claim their land was falling into the street, that the street line was 2 feet back from where the earth had fallen away and no man's land had been disturbed.

The total exemptions of polls is 113, in the following classes; old soldiers 52, old age 33, disability 28.

The amount of offsets for the year is \$1,346,558, a sum somewhat larger than last year. This is capital employed in Barre.

Berlin's Grand List Grows.

Berlin, June 6.—Berlin's grand list had been disturbed.

The street committee was instructed to have the bank at this place sloped back to the street line,

The committee on license reported the application of M. David for a lunch room license be not granted. The report was accepted.

It was voted to rent Charles Zanleoni's barn on Granite street at \$6 a month, the city to have the use of Mr. Zanleoni's two heavy team horses until May 1st next year for their keep. The street committee was authorized to execute a lease of the same.

The analysis of three samples of year

was made. An operation was deemed to be out of the question.

Lashaway was 25 years of age, a weaver employed in the Hartford woolen mill. Besides his parents he leaves three brothers, Joseph, Fred and Frank, of Hartford. Fred and Frank arrived in Montpelier this morning to take the meter; another, from a spring water M. J. Green and Mrs. W. W. Cate of system, showed 150 bacteria to one cubic Barre. meter and the third, also from a spring water system, showed 1000 bacteria to one cubic centimeter. Both spring

> A petition was read asking to have Beckley street worked to grade and drained. J. A. Mathieson and D. M. Miles told of poor condition of the street and asserted something ought to be done. Alderman McKenzie said the street could not be raised and graded enough to carry off water past Second street without raising the grade in front of house on Second street, so that they will be buried. The petition was re ferred to the committee of the whole to investigate and report back.

water samples were pronounced "suspic-

J. R. Tierney appeared to urge sprink-ling on South Main street. He said two thirds of the abutters were willing to pay for the sprinkling. Alderman Mc-Kenzie said if Mr. Tierney would furnish a list of those who were willing to pay for sprinkling the city would see that the street was sprinkled.

# The Tax Rate.

The council then went into executive ession to discuss the needs of the city as they relate to the tax rate. It was decided to ask for a special tax of 15 cents at a city meeting. In this connection the mayor has received a petition from thirty voters requesting him to call a city meeting to act on the fol-lowing article:

# Doesn't Like Idea of Changing Street Railroad Tracks.

Editor Daily Times: I see by tonight's paper that the committee from the city council will report favorably as to the laying of the street railroad track alongside the Barre Railroad from the fork shop to Ayers street. Now I think it is a far more dangerous route from John Tierney's house to Hill street than John Tierney's house to Hill street than and the order of Foresters of America, it is to cross over at Ayers street, but of which the deceased was a member, it is to cross over at Ayers street, but it seems the city council is determined to get the street railroad round Circle street at any cost. Why don't some of James Smith, Robert Knox and William James Smith, Robert Knox and William to get the street railroad round Circle street at any cost. Why don't some of the aldermen think of the original idea to go direct up Main street to Quarry street? I am told by one of the aldermen who was on the board when the treet will be to go direct up the treet to the treet treet to the treet to the treet treet to the treet treet to the treet treet to the treet treet treet treet to the treet tr street railroad got its franchise that it agreed to run up South Main to

Quarry street in two years.
Of course we cant' blame the railroad

# **GRAND LIST**

# rected Figures.

# INCREASE OF 144 POLLS

Real Estate Valuations Show There Is \$213,061 More Than in 1904-Offsets Figure Up to \$1,346.658.

The board of assessors for the city of Barre today finished up their work, and the final figures make a much better showing in growth than the estmates last week. The grand list has increased \$1,969.38. There are 144 more poll taxes. And the real estate valuation is considerably more than \$200,000 larger than last year. There is a slight falling off in personal property. The comparative statements for 1904 and 1905 are as

follows: Real Estate. Personal Property. For 1905, \$3,586,203. \$348,304. For 1905, 3,373,142. Gain, \$213,061. Loss, \$2,517. Grand List. Polla. For 1905, \$45,337,07. 3,001. For 1904, 43,367,69.

Increase, \$1,069.38.

# Berlin, June 6.—Berlin's grand list this year is \$5,996.21. In 1904 the grand list was \$5,929.53.

# MRS. ELIZA GREEN. Widow of Late B. W. Green Died Last Evening, After Long Sickness.

Mrs. Eliza Green, wife of the late B. W. Green, died at 10:30 o'clock last evening at the home of her sons, M. J. Green of South Main street. She had been failing in health ever since the death of Mr. Green last October, and

Prayer will be offered at the house by Rev. R. F. Lowe at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow morning, and the body will be taken to Morrisville on the morning train, where funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, from the home of her sister, Mrs. Smith. Interment in the cemetery there besides her late husband.

# FUNERAL OF MRS. MOORE.

# Held This Forenoon from St. Monica's Church.

The funeral of the late Mrs. William A. Moore was held at 9 o'clock this morning from St. Monica's church. Father Cray celebrated mass. There was a large attendance of friends and relatives, the church being well filled. The pall bearers were four brothers of the deceased, Joseph, Edward, Arthur and Alfred Benoit. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

The flowers were: Pillow, husband: anchor, Moore family; cross, K. of C.; cross, heart and anchor, Moore Bros. & Brault; carnations and ferns, Mr. and bouquets, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Burk: Mrs. A. H. Burke; bouquets, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reilly, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brault, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Owens, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. P. McNulty, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Castonia, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cruickshank, Mr. and Mrs. William Stephen, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Galligher, Mr. and Mrs. J. Papin, "To see if the city will vote to levy a special tax to raise money to pay off the following indebtedness of the city caused by the erection of a fire station and schoolhouse, and if so, how much."

"JOCKEY HOLLOW" SPEAKS.

"A Galligher, Mr. and Mrs. J. Papin, Mrs. A. Barclay, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Miles, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Granger, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Murphy.

# WM. LOVIE'S FUNERAL.

# Foresters of America Attended in a Body, Today.

The funeral of the late William Lovie was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the house on Long street, the Rev. R. F. Lowe officiating. The house was well filled with friends and relatives, cemetery.

# BURIED THIS FORENOON.